

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

EMILY COWEY, et al,)	CIVIL ACTION
)	No 2:20-CV- 01845
Plaintiffs,)	
v.)	
)	Honorable Christy Criswell Wiegand
)	
SHERIFF WILLIAM MULLEN et al,)	
)	Electronically Filed
Defendants.)	

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Now comes the parties jointly by their undersigned respective counsel and in accord with the Order of Court dated December 10, 2020 [ECF 23] advise the court as follows:

The parties are continuing to discuss settlement and substantive discussions are ongoing and productive. Additionally, as presented to the court on December 10, 2020, the Sheriff's Office opened on December 7, 2020 and has remained so continuously since then. While the parties' counsel fully intend to continue discussions in earnest, they are mindful of the upcoming holidays. The parties respectfully request that the Court schedule another status conference on or after January 8, 2020 at the convenience of the Court. At this time, the parties continue to reserve referring the case to a third party neutral for Alternative Dispute Resolution proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,

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